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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Counter Intelligence Staff

ATTENTION : [REDACTED]

SUBJECT : Project IDEALIST, Request for Current Analysis  
of [REDACTED] Adana/Incirlik Area

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1. Subsequent to May 1 of last year, this Division redeployed the large portion of our Detachment personnel at Incirlik Air Base, Adana, Turkey, to the United States. Left at that site was a small number of personnel for the purpose of maintaining a Project IDEALIST capability at Adana.

2. Although at the present time no authority has been granted to reactivate that base, the possibility does exist that such authority may be granted in the future.

3. In the event this Division is called upon to operate again from that site, it is felt that it would be of considerable assistance to us if we were made aware of the status of current [REDACTED] in the Adana/Incirlik area. We would particularly appreciate guidance for our personnel as to areas, localities, and individuals which should be avoided in the interest of steering our people away from possible agents of the [REDACTED]

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4. Your cooperation in this matter is appreciated and the information provided by your office will be afforded appropriate security protection.

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